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Subject: EPA releases Juneau County groundwater results & will attend county public meeting tonight

Good afternoon:

EPA has released the results of groundwater testing conducted in Juneau County, WI, on April 30 through May 3, 2018. EPA sampled groundwater west of Petenwell Lake in northeast Juneau County after receiving complaints and information from citizens in the area regarding private drinking-water well contamination. EPA collected groundwater samples at 41 temporary boring locations and 5 private drinking water wells.

EPA's tests – and others conducted by the county health department -- found elevated levels of nitrates. EPA Region 5 continues to work with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to evaluate the results and determine appropriate next steps. Both agencies will attend a county-sponsored public meeting tonight from 6-8p.m. at the Necedah Town Hall, 101 Center St.

For additional information, please see our web page <https://www.epa.gov/wi/juneau-county-groundwater-screening-investigation>

Please let me know if you have questions.

Best,
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